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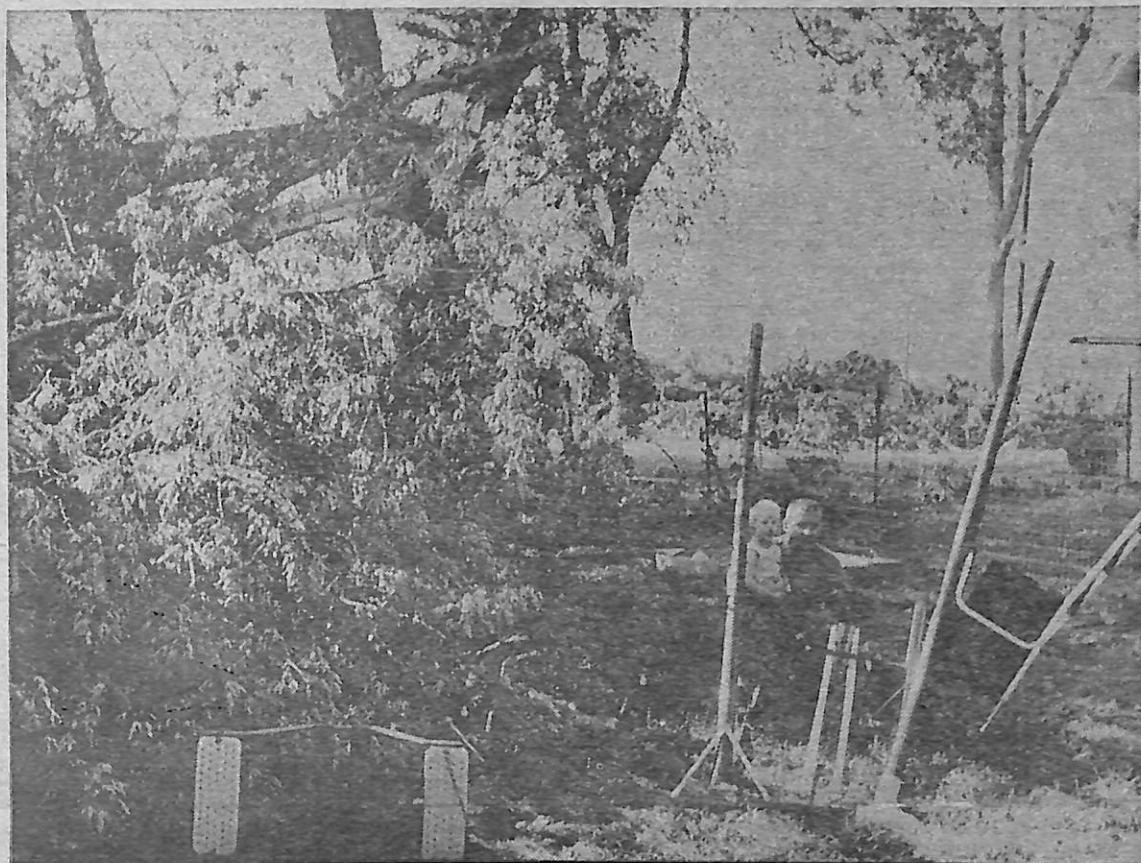
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Sudden Saturday Storm Causes Extensive Damage



Pictured above are Paul Fieldstad Clerk of the Town Planning Board, and his 3-year-old daughter Lori Ann in the backyard of their South St. home surveying damage caused after a sudden storm blew down a large tree onto a gym set where only moments before three of the Fieldstad children were playing early Saturday evening.

Damage to property along Suffield St. at the intersection of South, South St., and River Rd.

was extensive with numerous branches downed on power lines, cars, and houses.

At a late Monday afternoon meeting, the Board of Selectmen stated that efforts will be made to obtain State aid for residents who are unable to remove the many trees from their property due to the enormous size of some of the trees, prohibiting the owners from removing the debris themselves.

Many homeowners found they were not covered by insurance.

The DPW will remove tree branches and trunks that are cut up into manageable sizes by the effected homeowners.

The Police and Fire Departments were praised for their quick response and their sympathetic aid to the residents of the stricken area. The local VFW Post #1632 was on the scene distributing coffee, sandwiches and pizzas to the volunteer workers and residents throughout Saturday evening.

'Junie' Fontana Candidate For School Committee

Alfred "Junie" Fontana today announced that he will be a candidate for school committee in the Democratic caucus, Oct. 17th.

Presently a member of the Parks, Playground and Recreation Commission, Fontana cited his experience in working with young people and his interest in providing a good educational system in town as his qualifications for membership on the school committee.



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"In my capacity as parks commission member, hockey referee, and football official, I have had many rewarding contacts with young people. I believe I know how they feel.

"A school committee should be made up of people from different elements of the community. The most important qualification for the post is to have a genuine interest. (Please Turn To Page 3)

Gridiron Moms Invite 'Dads' To Tuesday Meeting

The Agawam Gridiron Moms will hold their next meeting on Tuesday evening, Oct. 13th, at 8 in the High School cafeteria. Because of the Oct. 12 holiday this meeting is being held on Tuesday rather than the usual second Monday of each month.

President, Mrs. Jeanne O'Brien, extends a warm welcome to all the Mothers of Football players, High School and Junior High School, and requests that they be present at this very important meeting. She also reminds the mothers that it is only through their genuine interest, support and participation, that the Gridiron Mothers can function successfully.

Catholic Men's Club To Meet Monday

The Catholic Men's Club of Agawam will have a supper meeting on Monday, Oct. 12 at 6:30 p.m. in St. John's parish hall. On the menu is a corned beef supper. The cost of the supper is \$2.50.

The meeting is a combination membership drive and candidates night. The men's club has invited the candidates for Selectman for the town of Agawam and the candidates for State Representative from the local district.

Democratic Women's Club Pre-Caucas Smorgasbord Oct. 10

The Agawam Democratic Women's Club will hold their annual pre-caucus smorgasbord Saturday evening, Oct. 10, from 6 to 8:30 at the Polish American Club, 139 Southwick St., Feeding Hills.

Mrs. Bruno Zucco, club president, has appointed Mrs. Marcel Bedard chairman of the affair. Mrs. Bedard will be assisted by the following members of the Executive Board in planning the menu which will feature all home cooked foods: Mrs. Normand Couture, Mrs. Anthony DeMatos, Mrs. Nicholas Donatini, Mrs. Frederick Drew, Mrs. William Keogh, Mrs. Ronald Meunier, Mrs. John Teahan and Mrs. Leo Vergnani.

Members working on the various committees include: decorations, Mrs. Alfred Christopher, Mrs. Drew, Mrs. Frederick Nardi; hostesses, Mrs. Walter Meisner, Mrs. Joseph Shea, Mrs. Walter Tatro, Mrs. Bernard Battles; prizes, Mrs. Ronald Rodier; tickets, Mrs. Couture, Mrs. Daniel Donatini, Mrs. Teahan; treasurer, Mrs. Nicholas Donatini; asst. treasurer, Mrs. Raymond Menard; publicity, Mrs. John Shea.

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MRS. MARCEL BEDARD

The public is invited to attend and tickets may be obtained from any member of the committee or may be purchased at the door.

Arthur Zavarella Seeks Re-Election To School Board

At the recent meeting of the Democratic Town Committee, Arthur Zavarella formerly entered the race for re-nomination as a candidate for School Committee. In filing for a possible second three-year term on this Board, Mr. Zavarella was motivated by his realization of the

His position as a Physics teacher at Westfield State College and registration as a Professional Engineer in Massachusetts along with his demonstrated zeal for aggressive, continuing maintenance of the school plant, are offered as additional qualifications for renomination, and re-election.



ARTHUR ZAVARELLA

critical importance of this elected group to all elements of the population and to the direct bearing the school system has on the present and future status of Agawam as a progressive and economically desirable community.

In support of his candidacy, Mr. Zavarella cites his long service to the Town as Civil Defense Director, charter member Precinct Six, and current duty as Chairman of the new Junior High School Building committee.

During his current three-year term on the school board, Mr. Zavarella has sponsored programs in progressive education in areas of vocational specialization, science curricula and advanced business practices.

College Board Preparation Course Starts Oct. 20

A seven week course to prepare high school students for the December College Board Entrance Examinations will be conducted by Ronald Hofmann of 14 Ruth Ave., Agawam, beginning October 20th.

Classes will meet one night weekly with students given the choice of attending either Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday night. The enrollment fee will include all necessary materials and Barron's How to Prepare for College Entrance Exams.

For information and registration applications, contact Mr. Hofmann in person at his home address or by telephone.

Rosary Altar Society To Meet Tuesday

The Rosary Altar Society of the Sacred Heart Church will hold their October meeting on Tuesday evening, the 13th, at 8 in the parish hall on William St., Feeding Hills.

Guest speaker, Mrs. Doris Sharon, topic will be, "Holiday Decorations Enhanced With Bows." She will demonstrate various ways to decorate with bows.

Mrs. Philip Barlow, president, will preside and spiritual director, Rev. George Linse, will lead the opening prayer. New members and guests are most welcome.

A Communion Supper is being planned for the November meeting by Mrs. Francis Viens, chairman, and her committee.

NOTICE

Pack #82 will hold a committee meeting Monday evening at 7:30, Oct. 12th, in the Agawam Congregational. All committee members are urged to attend.

CHURCH NEWS

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Benjamin Lockhart, Pastor
Mrs. Barbara Briggs,
Church Secretary

Thursday — 6:30 p.m. Melody Choir rehearse at church; 7:15 p.m. Senior Choir rehearse at church; 7:30 p.m. Religious Education Committee meet at the home of Miss Jeannette Bodurtha on Elm St.

Saturday — 5 to 6:30 p.m. The Public Smorgasbord of the United Women's Fellowship will be served in Bodurtha Hall. Reservations may be made by calling 734-2422, 739-3029, 734-2684 or 734-0700.

Sunday — 9:30 a.m. MORNING WORSHIP! 10:30 a.m. CHURCH SCHOOL.

Tuesday — 8 p.m. United Women's Fellowship meeting at church...all ladies are invited to attend.

Wednesday — 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Trading Post open.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Floyd C. Bryan, Minister
Mrs. Andrew Toussaint,
Minister of Music
Mrs. Lewis Moors,
Church Secretary

Friday — 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Scout meeting.

Saturday — 9 a.m. Youth Choir rehearsal.

Sunday — 9:30 a.m. Church School, 5th thru 12th Grade; 10:30 a.m. Church School, Nursery thru 4th Grade and Church at Morning Worship—Mr. Bryan preaching.

Monday — 8 p.m. Friendly Workers meeting.

Tuesday — 7:30 p.m. Deacons' meeting and 7:30 p.m. Class for Prospective Members.

Wednesday — 6:30 p.m. Senior Choir rehearsal.

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Mrs. Hazel Prior, Choir Director
Mrs. John MacPherson, Organist
Mrs. Richard Orr,
Church Secretary

Sunday — 10 a.m. Morning Worship with sermon: "The Mark of a Disciple of Christ." Sunday School Classes; 6 p.m. — Youth Group, The Hilltoppers.

Wednesday — 8 p.m. Meeting of the Church Council.

High School Band

October Events

The Agawam High School Band will hold their annual Candy Sale this month with members in uniform calling on the community for continued support in a venture that provides funds for many of the special band awards given at the band supper and a special trip during the year.

In addition to the regular appearances at the schools football games the band will also take part in the Columbus Day Parade in Springfield on Sunday, Oct. 11.

The band will make a special trip to the University of Conn. for the High School Band Day on Saturday, Oct. 31. This is an open date on the Brownie football schedule and the Agawam Band will join a number of New England area bands for a half-time presentation at the UConn-Boston University game on that day. Last year a massed band of over 2000 high school musicians performed at the UConn Band Day. Individual bands also make an entrance on the field prior to the game and will observe the UConn band perform a routine to be seen on national TV later this season. The UConn Marching Band toured Europe this past summer and is recognized as one of the finest college marching bands in the East.

In recent years the Agawam Band has appeared at UConn for their Spring Carnival Parade and also at UMass for the Homecoming Rally and Parade.

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2—Under no circumstances will rubbish be picked up if a 55 gallon oil drum or other non-standard containers are used.

3—Papers shall be firmly secured in bundles and placed in a container.

4—All rubbish containers to be collected shall be placed at tree belt before 7:30 a.m. the day the rubbish is scheduled for collection.

5—Under no circumstances will rubbish be collected if the rubbish barrel contains any type of GARBAGE.

6—Heavy plastic bags are allowed if securely tied and containing only household rubbish. Absolutely no leaves or grass clippings will be picked up by the regular rubbish crew. The town will pick these up in a special monthly collection, to be announced.

FRIDAY, OCT. 9

Route 5

Barry, Bradford Dr., Briarcliff Dr., Carmel Ln., Elmar Dr., Hamar Dr., Hamilton Cir., Hendon Dr., Hickory, Meyers Dr., Overlook Dr., Pine, So. West, So. Westfield, Southwick, Sunset Ter. and Tannery Rd.

TUESDAY, OCT. 13

ROUTE 6

DePalma, Doane Ave., Edgewater Rd., Franklin St. Ext., Garden, Gunn-Geary Ln., Holland Dr. Memorial Dr., Mill, Mountainview, Old Mill Rd., Phil, Poplar, Porter Dr., Shoemaker Ln., Silver, Silver Lake Dr., Suffolk, Twin Oaks Rd., and Vadenais St.

TUESDAY, OCT. 13

ROUTE 7

Althea Cir., Anthony, Belle, Brien, Center, Clematis Dr., Colonia Ave., Cooper, Elsie, Fairview, Federal Ave., Federal, Federal St. Ext., Greenacre Ln., Harvey Johnson Dr., Homestead, Karen Dr., Ley, Poinsetta, Potomac Pl., Prince Ln., Reed, Samuel, Senator Ave., Stanley Pl., Valentine, Valentine St. Ext., Vernon, Virginia, Washington, Westford Cir., and Woodside Dr.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 14

ROUTE 8

Allen, Adams, Birch Hill Rd., Carr Ave., Cosgrove Ave., Elm, Emerson Rd., Haskell, Henshaw Ave., Kanawha Ave., Lealand Ave., Main, Mardale Ave., Nile Ave., Oxford, Parker, Perry Ln., Pineview Cir., Raymond Cir., Riverside Ave., Riverview Ave., Ruskin Ave., Ridge Ave., South, So. Park Ter., Stewart Ln., Sunnyslope Ave., Thirlmere Ave., Veranda Ave., Woodcliff Ave. and Wright St.

THURSDAY, OCT. 15

ROUTE 9

Albert, Alfred Cir., Alfred Ct., Alfred, Alhambra, Cir., Bailey, Barney, Central, Charles, Corey, Editha Ave., Edward, Elbert Rd., Ellison Ave., Farnk, Hunt, James Ave., John, Joseph, Kirkland, Liberty Ave., Maple Ave., Meadow Ave., Meadow, Melrose Pl., Monroe, Pomeroy, River Rd., School, Seymour Ave., Sterling Rd., Sunrise Ter., Trinity Ter., Willard Ave., and Wyman Ave.



Beginning with the election in 1932 of Franklin D. Roosevelt, the Republicans were the minority party for almost twenty years with the exception only of the 80th Congress in 1947 and 1948.

Throughout this period, there were only two Presidents — Roosevelt and Harry S. Truman who assumed the Presidency at Roosevelt's death shortly after the beginning of his fourth term in office.

This was period of two wars, World War II and the Korean War, and the recovery of the Nation from depression. Under Roosevelt's "New Deal," there was an increased involvement of the federal government in all aspects of life and many feared the Nation had grown toward socialism.

Republican involvement at this time was best described by Senator Kenneth S. Wherry, the Minority leader in 1951:

"The Republican Party has no control over legislation, government policies and operations. Its role in Congress is narrowly limited. No Republican can be chairman of a congressional committee. Republicans are in a minority on all committees. They cannot carry through legislation on their own. They cannot take administrative steps to solve national problems or to correct abuses in the government of the country. They have no control over the conduct of foreign relations.

"But in a two-party system such as ours, the opposition party has a clear and responsible public duty to perform. In the role of the opposition, Republicans can appraise critically the promises and performances of the Democrat administration to account for its failures in discharging the public trust. They can expose mistakes, corruption, and other actions harmful to the public interest. They can press for high standards and principles in the solution of public problems and offer constructive suggestions concerning them.

"Finally, by public debate, Republicans can take their opposition to the people, who have the power to compel the administration to safeguard the national welfare or to remove it from office."

In the New Deal's pre-war period, through Roosevelt's first two terms, the Democrats held heavy majorities in both houses of Congress and there was little Republican action. They did lead the successful opposition to Roosevelt's court - packing attempts to reorganize the Supreme Court and pack it with justices of his own beliefs.

Once war was declared in 1941, Republicans and Democrats joined in wholehearted support of defense measures.

In 1945, Roosevelt died; Harry S. Truman became President; the first atomic bomb was dropped, and the war officially ended. With peace came domestic

strife as the Nation once again adjusted to a peacetime economy and in the transition had to account with inflation, labor strikes, and general unrest.

The postwar inflation and labor conflicts seriously hurt the Democrats and in 1946, for the first time since 1931, the Republicans controlled both the Senate and the House.

Under the 80th Congress, the federal budget was balanced for the first time in 17 years. Republicans sponsored important legislation including the Taft-Hartley Act aimed at curbing the strong dominances of unions. They also united the armed services under the Department of Defense and established the National Security Council and the National Security Resources Board. The Nation concerned itself with promoting the recovery of Western Europe and with fighting Communism in Western Europe, Greece, Turkey, and China.

Truman's first full term in office was marred by the Korean War which began in June of 1950. Republicans continued their fight against Communism and were influential in the establishment of the Subversive Activities Control Board.



College News

Mark Madenski, grandson of Mrs. Angela Bachelder of 31 Sylvan Lane Feeding Hills has entered the freshman class at Bryant College in Providence.

He is a graduate of Agawam High School.

Western New England College has announced the awarding of over \$20,000 in scholarships to 58 day division students, including 1 from this area. Eugene H. Floyd, WNEC director of financial aid made the announcement.

The scholarships, awarded annually, are given to day division students who have been selected on the basis of academic aptitude and achievement, as well as qualities of good character, personality, and leadership.

From this area, with the scholarship awarded, is: Andrew D. Arnold, 725 Suffield St. who received the Wesley and Frances Wilson Scholarship.

Deborah A. Gaunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald F. Gaunt of 28 Doane Ave., Agawam, has enrolled as a freshman in the Nursing Program at Massachusetts Bay Community College for the fall semester, 1970. Massachusetts Bay Community College is a two-year co-educational public college for commuting students of the greater Boston and suburban areas.

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Now We Understand

I suppose that it is inherent with human nature to criticize and for many of us it takes but little effort. Reluctantly I offer criticism of an article appearing in this paper last week over the signature of Joseph M. Faucette, a candidate for the office of Selectman.

Constructively I offer the suggestion to Mr. Faucette that he prepare his "homework" with a little more alertness. Candidates for such an important office should not attempt to relish on the alleged errors of a few and at the same time hope to gain political momentum by subscribing to the gripes of a few disgruntled citizens.

To simply sit back, when not in office, and say "what you would do" is such an easy task. If the glibly voter swallows paper thin promises or believes that he can acquire new and/or better services without any additional charge has only fooled himself. In one year, opposition candidates argue the point that a certain administration has done nothing but raise your taxes. In a subsequent year when such is not the case, this same opposition chooses to try the tactics of suggesting that "services" have been reduced. It is no more than a political game played by those whose actual "cards" are too weak to offer constructive improvements.

Let us once again be more specific about the "Rubbish Collection" contract. Let us not "kid" anyone that a contract could be written which would provide collection so complete that a resident would not need to even bother to put his trash on the tree belt. Collectors would transport your containers from your very door. Your leaves would simply need to be raked into a common pile. All your discarded automobile parts, old refrigerators, and other junk from any source whatsoever would be taken without question. Now, I ask, do you want to pay for this service?

Your present administration weighed the cost for this service carefully. Your present contract necessitates an expenditure in the vicinity of \$34,000 per year with graduations. If you desired the additional services the amount of the contract would be doubled. We believed this extra cost, to be borne by all the taxpayers, might be better borne by those who needed the service by either waiting for the D.P.W. monthly collections or carrying their refuse to either the Agawam or Springfield disposal areas personally.

Many of us in past years had burned our own leaves and branches on the premises. Are you about to blame the present administration on new anti air pollution laws, which put an end to outside burning?

Mr. Faucette accuses the Board of shirking its duties and relying on the Board of Appeals to accept the responsibility. He states that the control of the

Bondi Island area is the Selectmen's problem. I ask him to refer to the "zoning laws" Sect. 10, Sub-Section "A" paragraph three which states "the dumping of refuse is allowed only after a public hearing before the Board of Appeals." Your administration followed our laws to the letter. Furthermore, to criticize the conditions is simply to criticize the legal decision of the Board of Appeals. If the City of Springfield and the State Dept. of Public Health found these conditions satisfactory, who is Mr. Faucette to complain?

Your present administration continuously considered your welfare and at the same time did its best to consider your pocketbook. There is always a point of diminishing returns and a point where additional tax burdens should be curtailed. We believe that each was carefully considered and one who chooses to destructively criticize has to be considered as a "paper thin" candidate.

Sincerely,
George L. Reynolds, Selectman

Quebec is the only walled city in North America. The walls were built in the early 19th Century.

Troop 75 Rummage Sale Saturday

The auxiliary of Troop 75 will hold a Rummage Sale on Saturday morning, the 10th, at 10 to 4 p.m., in Sacred Heart Hall on Williams St., Feeding Hills.

Mrs. D. Attanasio, is chairman of the sale and can be contacted at 733-9212 for further information.

'Junie' Fontana . . .

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terest in providing the best possible education the town can afford for its children. My only concern will be that the town do all that it can for its young people," he said.

Fontana in addition to his membership on the parks commission, serves as chairman of the Cemetery Commissioners, is a Town meeting member, and a Town constable. He is employed as a firefighter in Agawam.

Fontana also is a linesman in the American Hockey League, a member of the Western Mass. Football Officials Association and officiates at many college and high school hockey games.

Educated in local schools, Fontana graduated from the high school, where he was active in football, hockey, and baseball. He was an All-Western Mass. and

an All-State selection in hockey and football.

Fontana is a member of the Agawam Sportsmen's Club, the Dante Club, the West Springfield - Agawam Elks, Agawam Letterman's Club, and the Board of Governors of the Exposition Scholarship Fund Association.

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Gridiron Moms . . .

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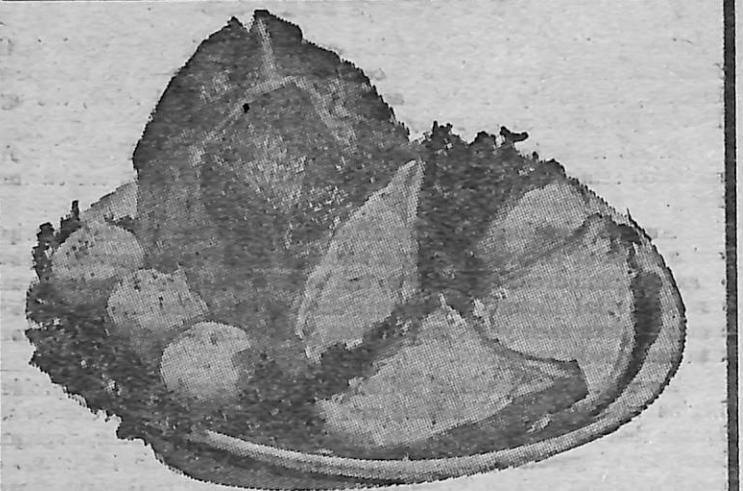
"new Moms" will plan to attend this meeting and join in the work that makes it possible to offer each graduating football player who plans to further his education a scholarship. Plan to be present — the evening should prove to be a most enjoyable and informative one.



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| 1 (10 1/2) can condensed cream of mushroom soup | 1/4 cup White Vino da Tavola |
| 1 (7-oz.) can tuna | Pepper to taste |
| 1 cup thinly sliced celery | |

Set aside 1/2 cup noodles for topping. Blend all other ingredients in casserole, sprinkle with reserved noodles and bake in moderate oven, 350 degrees, about 30-40 minutes.

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Fire Hurts

The problem of man and his environment is very much in the forefront these days. There is concern—rightly so—with the air we breathe, the purity of the water in our rivers and lakes, the ugly blot of pollution on so many of our resources.

What tends to be overlooked, the National Fire Protection Association reminds us, is the effect of destructive fire on our environment.

Anyone who has seen the aftermath of a fire which has wiped out a block of homes housing a score of families, or gutted a plant employing hundreds of persons, can testify that fire is an important environmental factor. Pollutants destroy, and fire destroys—thousands of lives each year, and billions of dollars worth of our natural and man-made resources.

As with other kinds of pollution, the answer to the fire problem begins with individual actions and reactions. We must change the habits that so commonly cause fires—careless smoking, negligent handling of gasoline, for example. We must become intolerant of conditions that lead to fire—like defective heating equipment, frayed electric cords. We must take protection action—like preplanning escape measures, never leaving children unattended.

Now—during Fire Prevention Week, October 4-10, is a time to remind ourselves that FIRE HURTS, both physically and financially. Above all, this is a time to realize that whether we have an environment free of destructive fire is largely up to us.

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to

Oct. 16

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NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH WEEK TO BE OBSERVED IN AGAWAM SCHOOLS

The week of October 11-17 has been designated as National School Lunch Week. During this week each cafeteria in Agawam will have a certain number of plates marked on the bottom. Any student receiving a marked plate will receive a free lunch that day!

On Wednesday, Oct. 14th, the menu served in the Agawam schools will be the same menu that is planned for every School Lunch Program throughout the Nation. This will mean that some 27 million children will be eating the same type of lunch on the same day.

This past month 3,432 Type A lunches were served daily in the Agawam School Cafeterias at the low price of twenty-five cents per lunch (free to those children unable to afford this amount). State and Federal financial assistance has made this price possible through USDA donated foods and the twelve-cent reimbursement for each Type A lunch.

An additional service has been added to the Agawam School Lunch Program: Each Wednesday and Friday some 40 Senior Citizens are availing themselves of the opportunity to have a School Lunch for the adult price of fifty cents at the Senior Citizen's Center.

School Lunch provides a well-balanced meal that will meet one-third of the child's daily nutritional requirements. Called the "Type A Lunch", the meal must follow the USDA nutritional pattern. School Lunch is "a vanguard of all learning. It is virtually impossible to teach a child who is too hungry to listen."

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 14, NATIONAL MENU AT ALL SCHOOLS

Chicken, homemade biscuits, butter, green peas, crisp cole slaw, oatmeal raisin cookie.

SENIOR HIGH

Tuesday: Juice, toasted ham/cheese roll, garden salad w/tomatoes and spinach greens, peanut butter sandwich, butter cake w/hot fudge sauce.

Thursday: Baked link sausage, mashed potatoes, buttered peas/carrots, rye bread/butter, jello w/topping.

Friday: Tomato juice, egg salad sandwich, French fries, buttered green beans, peanut butter sandwich, deep dish apple pie.

JUNIOR HIGH

Tuesday: Juice, sloppy Joe on bun, peanut butter sandwich, buttered carrots, apple sauce.

Thursday: Juice, hamburger on bun, peanut butter sandwich, green beans, apricots.

Friday: Juice, shell macaroni w/meat balls, cabbage/carrot salad, bread/butter, pineapple chunks w/peanut butter cookie.

DANAHY

Tuesday: Macaroni in tomato meat sauce, green beans, bread/butter, applesauce.

Thursday: Juice, hamburger in roll, mixed vegetables, banana cake.

Friday: Grilled cheese or peanut butter sandwich, cabbage/carrot salad, potato chips, fruit cup.

GRANGER

Tuesday: Juice, frankfort on buttered bun, relish, mustard, potato chips, broccoli, apple crisp.

Thursday: Spaghetti w/meat tomato sauce, green beans, bread/butter, peaches.

Friday: Juice, fishwich sandwich, catsup, potato sticks, whole kernel corn, prune spice cake.

PEIRCE

Tuesday: Spaghetti w/tomato meat sauce, buttered peas, cheese cube, buttered Vienna bread, spicy applesauce.

Thursday: Beef pot pie w/potato topping, buttered spinach, bread/butter, chocolate pudding w/topping.

Friday: Baked beans, stewed tomatoes, cheese wedge, hot raisin corn bread, sliced peaches.

PHELPS

Tuesday: Juice, ham/cheese grinder, lettuce, mayonnaise, mustard, buttered carrots, applesauce.

Thursday: Elbow macaroni w/meat sauce, cabbage/carrot salad, French bread, fruit cocktail.

Friday: Fish sticks, mashed potatoes, green salad w/tomato spinach greens, bread/butter, cake.

ROBINSON

Tuesday: Hamburg gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered broccoli, bread/butter, fruit.

Thursday: Spaghetti w/meat sauce, buttered green beans, bread/butter, fruit.

Friday: Juice, tuna fish salad sandwich, potato chips, diced beet salad, dessert.

SOUTH

Tuesday: Orange juice, baked bologna, parsley buttered potatoes, buttered carrots, peanut butter on rye, pineapple tidbits.

Thursday: Orange juice, creamed vegetable soup, crackers, grilled cheese and bacon on rye, celery sticks, orange wedges.

Friday: Baked beans, catsup, tuna salad on rye, ABC salad, fruited jello w/topping.



THIS WEEK'S
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Courtesy of Massachusetts Department of Agriculture

One of the best apple crops in many years is reaching consumers this week, according to the Mass. Dept. of Agriculture. Though not an all-time record, the New England crop is forecast at some 7.6 million bushels, about 11 per cent over 1969. That's a lot of apples, and they're Best Buys this week, in all major varieties.

By more than mere coincidence, this week is National Apple Week, so consumers will be hearing plenty about one of man's oldest crops.

James M. Cassidy, Chief Market Investigator of the MDA and State Chairman of Apple Week says that the trade celebration is one of the oldest commodity weeks on record. It was sparked in 1905 by a Capt. James Handly of Illinois, who believed that mankind should pay tribute to the many virtues of the apple, and thus founded what was first known as Apple Day.

Our native apples are reaching the peak of their harvest this week, with picking, packing and special storage moving as swiftly as hands can manage.

Many local growers invite you to pick your own apples for as little as \$3.00 a bushel. More and more families take advantage of this every year, enjoying a day in the fall countryside and saving considerable money in the bargain. Watch for local growers' ads, or call Market Division of the MDA at (617) 727-3018 for information.

Produce counters offer three lbs. for about 59 cents, sometimes lower.

Each apple variety is labeled for consumer convenience in choosing the one most suited for family needs. The McIntosh is the all-purpose apple, and probably the best-known today. Delicious is best for eating out of hand. The Cortland is excellent for baking and pie-filling, and especially good for salads as it does not discolor.

The apple is as old as Adam, but it's always news when the crop comes in.

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MRS. STEPHEN K. FERRARI
(nee Donna L. Ashton)

In a traditional candlelight ceremony on Friday evening in the United Methodist Church, Miss Donna Lee Ashton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald H. Ashton of 22 Briardiff Dr., Feeding Hills, was married to Mr. Stephen Kenneth Ferrari, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ferrari of 5 Memorial Park, same town. The Rev. John Tyler, vicar of St. David's Church and the Rev. Raymond Spears, minister of Agawam United Methodist Church performed the ceremony with Mrs. Frank Merchant as organist. A reception at Betty's Old Towne House followed the ceremony.

The bride's gown of silk organza accented with pink satin ribbon and venise lace was fashioned with full camelot sleeves and a wattleau train. She carried a Victorian bouquet of white sweetheart roses, stephanotis, and a center cluster of blush pink phalaenopsis orchids.

Miss Denise Ashton, who served her sister as maid of honor, wore a gown of pink chiffon with white lace entwined with pink satin ribbon and carried a Victorian bouquet of elegance miniature carnations, pink carnations, and red sweetheart roses. Miss Phyllis Ferrari, sister of the groom, Miss Barbara Lusignan, cousin of the bride, and Miss Janet Thompson, who served as bridesmaids, were similarly attired and carried Victorian bouquets of elegance miniature carnations pink carnations, and pink sweetheart roses, as did Miss Susan Froio, cousin of the bride who served as junior bridesmaid.

Mr. Phil Ferrari, brother of the groom, served as best man. Ushers were Thomas Duda, cousin of the groom, Raymond Pond, and Fred Robarge.

Mrs. Ferrari, a graduate of Agawam High School, is presently attending American International College. She is the organist at St. David's Church in Feeding Hills.

Mr. Ferrari, also a graduate of Agawam High School, is employed by DePalma Motor Sales and is attending Western New England College, evening division.

After a wedding trip to Bermuda the couple will make their home at 1157 Main St., Agawam.

Jaycee-ettes Fashion Show Tuesday Night

The Agawam Jaycee-ettes will hold a Fashion Show and Card Party next Tuesday at 7 p.m. This event will take place at South School.

Fashions by Change of Time Boutique and Little Shop on the Green will be followed by a local wig stylists who will show and demonstrate their variety of wigs and hairpieces.

Mrs. Karen Delskey is chairman of this event and co-chairmen are: Mrs. Linda Hall, decorations; Mrs. Donna Baker, tickets and door prizes; Mrs. Betty Spring, refreshments. Other members assisting Mrs. Delskey are Mrs. Judy March, Mrs. Ann Reveruzzi, Mrs. Joanne Lapine, Mrs. Sue Roden and Mrs. Gerri Milliken.

Tickets may be obtained from Donna Baker, 116 Granger Dr., or Karen Delskey, 884 North St., both of Feeding Hills.

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Jr. Women's Club Plan Foliage Tour For The Blind

The Hale Camping Reservation, located at Spruce Hill and Cedar Ridge Touch and See Trail in Westwood, Mass., has established for the first time in this part of the country, a foliage trail for the blind.

The trail offers safely roped paths and descriptions of the many trees and bushes in braille.

The Hale Reservation is located a short distance off Rt. 128, south-west of Boston. The trail closes Oct. 15.

The Agawam Junior Women's Club, as one of their special projects, is promoting use of this trail for the blind. Further information may be obtained by contacting Mrs. E. A. Fanning, 20 Parker St., Agawam.

Senior Center Lunch Program to Continue

The lunch program at the Agawam Senior Center is appealing to many of the elderly citizens in this the third week of the operation.

Meals are prepared at the Phelps School under the direction of Mrs. N. D. Hauser, supervisor of the school department cafeteria, at a cost of fifty (50c) cents. Meals are served on each Wednesday and Friday at 12:30 p.m.

The Massachusetts Dept. of Community Affairs, Aging Bureau, assumes the balance of the lunch cost.

Ceramic classes are held on Tuesday morning and afternoon; knitting on Thursday afternoon; oil painting on the first and third Monday mornings; men's day on Wednesday and a card party on Friday afternoon.

Rev. Albert J. Blanchard was elected chairman of the Agawam

Council on Aging at last month's meeting and Mrs. Edith Larsen continues as secretary.

Christian Science Lecture Sunday

A Christian Science lecture on "spiritual breakthroughs" will be given in Springfield on Sunday, Oct. 11th, under sponsorship of First Church of Christ, Scientist, 599 State St., Springfield.

The speaker will be Otto Bert-schi, C.S.B., of Zurich, Switzerland, a practitioner and teacher of Christian Science who is currently on tour as a member of the denomination's Board of Lecturership.

His lecture here will begin at 3:15 p.m. in the church auditorium. There is plenty of free parking on Orleans St., and a

ground floor elevator to church. Admission is free and open to the public.

Title of the lecture is "The Scientific Breakthrough in Religion."

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SPORTSMEN'S CORNER



By BILL CHIBA

Saturday is opening day for hunting deer in Vermont with the bow and arrow. No doubt a great many of you have been journeying to the Green Mountain State every weekend since Labor Day, scouting and preparing your favorite area for the opening. Deer sign has been scarce up to this past weekend. I found this so, Saturday evening just at dusk, Edie, my wife, and I spotted over 20 deer in a

short drive up the valley where we stay in Vermont. Two of the deer were rack bucks, and very large. Most of the does were big deer. The sight of deer feeding in the mowings filled us with excitement. I'm itching to take out in pursuit of the wily, beautiful, beasts.

A great many of us spend many hours building blinds and tree stands in likely spots hoping for a telling shot at the unsuspecting deer. Then there is the leech...the great hunter who does no preparing or scouting. He is the fat head you find in your tree stand 3 in the afternoon when you arrive there for the evening hunt. He is the big bow hunter who stands back of a tree a short ways from your tree stand hoping to shoot at the deer that you are waiting for. His scent is spreading out all over the small orchard and a deer wouldn't come within a mile of the apple tree. Yes, instead of finding and preparing an area for himself, he figures to capitalize on your sweat and painstaking efforts. It is surprising, but more and more fat heads are taking up the bow and arrow and spoiling the hunt for the serious hunter. I don't know what the cure is for this type of hunter, so if you come up with one let me know and I will put it to good use.

The sentiment against the party permit system in Vermont has grown to such proportions

that the Attorney General of that state has been asked to discontinue the party permit system. As of this writing, I have not heard if the Attorney General has come up with a flaw in the law that would discontinue the shooting of female deer in Vermont. Don't be surprised if the party system is nullified.

NON-RESIDENT AGENCIES

Sixteen non-resident snowmobile agencies have been set up by the Maine Fish & Game Dept.'s snowmobile registration office. The agencies are for the convenience of out-of-staters who usually come into the state for the weekends.

Maine now has reciprocal agreements with New Hampshire, Vermont, New York, Connecticut, Massachusetts and the Province of Quebec. Persons registered in those areas do not need to register in Maine. The same applies for registered Maine vehicles traveling in those areas.

CANCER IN SEA LIFE

Two scientists say they have found pollution induced cancer in clams, oysters, scallops and quahogs taken from Rhode Island and Massachusetts waters. Drs. Paul Yevich and Marcia Bercy of the National Marine Water Quality Laboratory told a recent meeting of the American Society of Limnology and Oceanography that they had found "hundreds" of such mollusks in polluted water.

According to Drs. Yevich and Barry, the affected animals had overdeveloped and blackened kidneys, cancer of the ovaries, underdeveloped sex organs and dying skin. In explaining that he didn't study the mechanism by which pollution induced the cancer, Dr. Yevich said, "How the pollution gave these animals the diseases and what the diseases mean, we haven't the faintest idea."

If you are planning a long trip be sure to get the proper rest before starting out. Too little rest could cause you to become drowsy behind the wheel. Eternal rest could be the result.



COACH'S CORNER... by Cliff Kibbe

Saturday, Oct. 3rd, Agawam defeated Greenfield High's football team 28-0. The game was scoreless going into the second half when fumbles and pass interceptions set up four Brownie scores. The touchdowns were scored by Mike O'Brien and Frank Santinello, two each and Mike Losito and Frank Santinello, each added two points. Due to the total loss of film, we were

unable to pick an offensive and defensive player of the week.

Mike Drewnowski had two interceptions and Lou Conti had a long punt return. Both Tom Loche and George Hill made fine tackles. Peter Shibley made several key tackles as did Brad Hedges. The offensive line was led by Dan Young and Nick Longhi.

This Saturday, Holyoke at McKenzie Field 1:30 p.m.

AGAWAM FOOTBALL SCHEDULE AND SCORES

SEPT. 26—CHICOPEE 8, AGAWAM 0
OCT. 3—AGAWAM 28, GREENFIELD 0
OCT. 10—HOLYOKE at HOLYOKE
OCT. 17—TECH at AGAWAM
OCT. 24—WESTFIELD at AGAWAM
OCT. 31—OPEN
NOV. 7—CATHEDRAL at TRADE FIELD
NOV. 14—WEST SPRINGFIELD at WEST SPRINGFIELD
NOV. 21—CHICOPEE COMP. at SZOT PARK

JFK Council K of C Recollection Night Scheduled Oct. 15

The President John F. Kennedy Council Knights of Columbus No. 5585 will attend a mass and an hour of recollection at St. Alphonsus College, Route 159, Suffield, Conn., Thursday evening Oct. 15.

Supper will be served at the council home on South St. at 6

p.m. with the mass, hour of recollection, and a tour of the college following. Coffee and donuts will be served at the council home after the trip to St. Alphonsus.

Members will be contacted to confirm reservations. Wives and friends of Knights are cordially invited.

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HAMPDEN ss. PROBATE COURT
 To all persons interested in the estate of **RUBY ELIZABETH MILAM WELLS** otherwise **RUBY E. WELLS** or **RUBY M. WELLS** late of Agawam, in said County, deceased.

The executor of the will of said **RUBY ELIZABETH MILAM WELLS** otherwise **RUBY E. WELLS** or **RUBY M. WELLS** has presented to said Court for allowance his first and final account.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Springfield before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixth day of November 1970, the return day of this citation.

Witness, **ABRAHAM I. SMITH**, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of September 1970.

EVELYN C. LAVALETTE, Assistant Register.
 (Oct. 8-15-22)

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Frank Chriscola, Jr., Board Chairman
 (Oct. 1-8)

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
HAMPDEN ss. PROBATE COURT
 To all persons interested in the estate of **FLORENCE S. STEERE** late of Agawam in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that **GILBERT WOOD** of Springfield in County of Hampden or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Springfield, in the County of Hampden, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the sixth day of November 1970, the return day of this citation.

Witness, **ABRAHAM I. SMITH**, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of September 1970.

EVELYN C. LAVALETTE, Assistant Register.
 (Oct. 8-15-22)

MASSACHUSETTS
TOWN OF AGAWAM.

ARTICLE 84. VOTED 85 YES to 42 NO to change the zone from Agriculture and Residence A-2 to Business A for a parcel of land located at 464 Main Street, Agawam, and as further described in Article 84 as follows:

Beginning at a Mass., Highway bound on the westerly side of Main Street, said bound being 114.78' southerly of an iron rod marking the southeast corner of land now or formerly of Adelard H. & Marie Paul S. Pelletier; thence running N 87° 18' 30" a distance of 214.84' to a Mass. Highway bound, thence running in a generally Southwesterly direction along the arc of a circular curve having a radius of 270.00' a distance of 426.55' to a Mass. Highway bound, thence running S 2° 10' 30" W, a distance of 85.88' to a point, thence running N 87° 49' 30" W, a distance of 132.22' to an iron rod, thence running in a northerly direction a distance of 60.4' to an iron rod, thence running N 84° 58' 47" W, a distance of 54.38' to a point, thence running N 27° 45' 50" E, a distance of 276.38' to a point, thence running N 43° 38' 05" E, a distance of 69.15' to a point, thence running N 83° 26' 13" E, a distance of 58.00' to an iron rod, thence running N 83° 26' 13" E, a distance of 1497.39' to an iron pin, thence running S 1° 23' 13" W, a distance of 135.45' to an iron pin, thence running S 88° 48' 17" E, a distance of 159.27' to an iron rod, thence running S 2° 21' 30" E, a distance of 114.78' to a Mass. Highway bound to the point of beginning. (Voted on March 31, 1970.)

ARTICLE 89. VOTED 97 YES to 5 NO that the Town change the zone on a parcel of land on the petition of Joseph P. Norman and Eva T. Norman from Agricultural to Residence B as described in Article 89, as follows:

Beginning at an iron pin on Corey Street and thence running N. 76° 01' 40" E, a distance of 317.25' to an iron pin, thence running S. 76° 28' 31" E, a distance of 210.61' to an iron pin; thence running S. 13° 31' 9" W, a distance of 98.30' to an iron pin; thence running N. 79° 40' 04" W, a distance of 124.83' to an iron pin; thence running N. 82° 52' 38" W, a distance of 369.71' to an iron pin, the place of beginning. (Voted on April 2, 1970.)

ARTICLE 90. VOTED 98 YES to 5 NO that the Town change the zone on a parcel of land on the petition of Jamm Realty Trust from Agricultural to Business A as described in Article 90, as follows:

Beginning at a point situated in the northwesterly corner of the parcel herein described, said point being 256.72 feet easterly of the easterly line of River Road and at land now or formerly of Havlick; thence S. 51° 31' 40" E, along other land of Havlick and Lots 39, 40, 41, 42 and 43, a distance of 457.19 feet to a point situated at the southwesterly corner of said Lot 43; thence S. 51° 32' 48" W, along other land of Jamm Realty Trust and land of Riviera Associates, a distance of 696.59 feet to a point; thence S. 06° 43' 48" W, along land of Riviera Associates, a distance of 289.89 feet to a point at land of Stuart Amusement Company; thence N. 70° 30' 15" W, along land of Stuart Amusement Company, a distance of 419.54 feet to a point at land of Walter J. Holland, et al; thence N. 20° 47' 38" E, along land of Walter J. Holland, a distance of 262.08 feet to a point; thence N. 73° 07' 22" W, along land of Walter J. Holland, a distance of 60.14 feet to a point at land of Robert M. Keith; thence N. 26° 47' 38" E, along land of Robert M. Keith, a distance of 56.25 feet to a point at other land of Jamm Realty Trust; thence N. 51° 36' 25" E, along other land of Jamm Realty Trust, a distance of 752.23 feet to a point, the point of beginning.

The above described parcel of land containing 10.3454 acres. (Voted on April 2, 1970.)

ATTEST:
EDWARD A. CABA, Town Clerk
 August 25, 1970

The foregoing amendments to zoning by-laws adopted under Articles 84, 89 and 90 are approved.

ROBERT H. QUINN, Attorney General
 (Oct. 8-15-22)

PROMENADERS

SQUARE DANCE



LINDY and DICK DAVIS

At our 15th anniversary dance we were proud to honor couples who have danced with the club since its beginning.

Club President Joe and Lorraine Tousignant presented a plaque and rose to Anita and Tino Davilli, Althea and Dede Cowles, and Anna and Fred Montagna.

Couples who have danced for 14 years are: Gwen and Vint Gregory, Mary and Bob Adams, and Barbara and Jack Kupec. They were presented with ribbons and a name bar with an anniversary disk attached.

Gloria and Al Bessette, Adele and Doug Cochrane, Bob and Maddy Dugan, Marge and John Ferrero, Lorraine and Joe Gasperini, and June and Elmer Roosa have danced 12 years and received name bars with an anniversary disk attached.

Congratulations to these couples and many more happy years of dancing.

Many door prizes were won by club members and guests from the Silver Wing Stompers, Vagabonds, and Boots and Hoops. Our thanks to Ralph Clark for making our dance so enjoyable. Refreshment time was made

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF STANLIFT CORPORATION (RAMAH CIRCLE CORPORATION)

To All Creditors and Others Having Any Interest Herein:

Be it known that on the 15th day of September, 1970, at a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of Stanlift Corporation, a Massachusetts corporation having its principal place of business at Agawam, County of Hampden, a total of 277,314 shares, or 88.5% of the total outstanding stock of the Corporation, was presented at the meeting; and that the holders of more than two-thirds of its stock outstanding and entitled to vote voted to transfer pursuant to an Agreement and Plan of Reorganization its business and assets to Varlen Corporation in exchange for Varlen stock and the assumption of its liabilities by Varlen; to change the corporate name to RAMAH CIRCLE CORPORATION; and to dissolve said Corporation pursuant to the plan of reorganization.

In accordance with the provisions of the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 156B, Section 100, a copy of said corporate vote is as follows:

VOTED: "That the dissolution and liquidation of this Corporation, as renamed, all in accordance with and pursuant to the terms and conditions of the aforesaid Agreement and Plan of Reorganization, is hereby authorized and approved."

VOTED: "That the Board of Directors of the Corporation is authorized and directed to cause to be taken any and all actions which it may deem necessary or desirable to effectuate the foregoing votes."

DOLORES J. ST. MARTIN/S
 Dolores J. St. Martin, Clerk
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Join Scouts Tonight At Polish-American Club

Tonight the Agawam Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts will hold their annual 1970 School Night to join scouting program. This program is designed to give those boys who want to join scouting but who have not had the opportunity to do so on Oct. 8. On Agawam the program will be held at the Polish American Club at 139 Southwick St., in Feeding Hills at 7 p.m. The program will be sponsored by Pack 75 under the direction of Juanita Vanasse and by Troop 75 under the direction of Dom Attanasio of Troop 75 both of Sacred Heart.

Atty. David M. Marshall of Agawam will serve as chairman for this event. Mr. Marshall in announcing the 1970 School Night to join scouting program expressed it's importance as providing both boys and their parents a chance to meet on common ground to work for the scouting objectives of character development, physical fitness and citizenship training. Atty. Marshall, who has served as District Chairman for the scouting movement these past three years expressed his belief that scouting is probably the most worthwhile and timely youth movement in our town and nation today.

special by a 3-tier rose bud covered anniversary cake served by Lorraine and Joe Gasperini and Maddy and Bob Dugan.

Friday, the 9th, the club will sponsor a FREE "Fun-Nite" for all adult couples who are interested in learning the basics of western square dancing.

Al Bessette will start calling at 8 p.m. at Robinson Park School, Begley St. in Agawam. Besides being good fun and exercise, you meet a lot of friendly people when you square dance. Give it a try!

Parks, Playgrounds & Recreation

By Jack Kunasek, Director

Football results, Oct. 3; Giants 38, Steelers 0; Bears 0, Cardinals 0; Colts 14, Packers 12.

Schedule—Sunday, Oct. 11—Steelers vs. Packers, Phelps Field, 1:15; Cardinals vs. Colts, Phelps Field, 2:30; Bears vs. Giants, Sheas Field, 1:15.

All Business, Civic, Church or Private groups interested in playing in the P.P.R. over 25 Basketball League are asked to contact the Recreation Office at 732-8451 as soon as possible. This league will run every Sunday starting the first Sunday in December and run every Sunday through March. The Agawam High gym will be used. This league is open to all men living or working in Agawam. Because of the interest last year the first 8 teams to answer the call will be accepted.

For all groups interested in placing teams in the P.P.R.

leagues, make your plans now. Sign ups will be held shortly. League age groups will be Saturday afternoon, ages 7-10, high school gym; 10-12, 13-15, 15-17 will play week nights at the Junior High and High Schools.

Round The Town

Chip Kistner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Kistner of 72 Elbert Rd., Agawam, has started his studies at Laurelcrest Preparatory School in Bristol, Conn.

Holly Kistner has returned to her classes at Central Conn. State College in New Britain, Conn. She is in her Junior year.

Mary Ann's Studio of Dance, Agawam had the following local students dancing at the Eastern States Exposition's youth program in the Massachusetts State Building during the fair last week: Darlene Palsa, Gina Tardibono, Andrea Donabed, Maureen Ouimette, Lisa and Kim Pearson. These young dancers are from age 3 to 6 years old.

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VFW Report Improved Treatment of Prisoners

The Ladies Auxiliary of the VFW Agawam Post #1632 and Post members want to thank the townspeople for their support in signing the recent petitions relating to the release and improved treatment of American Prisoners of War. These people are in our thoughts, let's put them in our deeds.

Legislation Chairman Frances Link urges all residents of Mass. to register. Your vote is important. Take time to become a voter, the effort is worthwhile. Five minutes of your time makes you a concerned citizen. Another

few minutes at voting time brings long lasting results. We are trying to improve our communities and your vote does help.

The following chairman have been appointed for the year 1970-71. During the year they will be activating their various programs and would like you, as a concerned citizen to give your support, where possible: Americanism, Dorothy Landers; Buddy Poppy, B.M. Curran, co-chairman, K. Dickinson; Budget, Anna Hayes; Cancer & Research, Florence Skipper; Civil Defense, (Nat. Defense) Elsa Sears; Community Activities, Anna Bissonnette, co-chairman D. Landers; Convention Fund, E. Appleman; Finance Anna Hayes; Hospital Q Rehabilitation, Anna Bissonnette; Hospitality, Jessie Zinesky; Legislation, F. Link; Loyalty Day, B.M. Curran; Membership, Doloras Minet.

The annual Membership Drive is now on. Dues are payable now, we have 50% paid in lets go over the top! New members are welcome. If you are interested in joining call D. Minet 737-5722, or President Betty Mae Curran 733-3909.

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judged by seven faculty members and some of the members of the present senior color guard. The following girls were selected to carry the junior flags this year and will become the bands senior color guard next year.

Nancy Palazzi, Barbara Cariani, Nancy Femmel, Ann Kazantis, Jeanne Quill, Carol Babyok, Antonia Veronesi, Donna Mazza, Debbie Neis, Cindy Ekstedt, Marcia Reed, Joyce Ferioli, Martha Heyl, Lori Stefanik, Roberta Bonomi and Kathy Viens.

Selected as alternates were Linda DePalo, Rosalyn Wright, Iyan Dalla-Pegorara, Debbie Grassa and Helen Rackliffe.



Mario Sakellis,
Executive Director

START TWO PROGRAMS FOR GIRLS

Robert Binnenkade, chairman of the local "Y" Youth Committee announces that there will be two new programs starting in October. For girls, Grade 5 and 6, there will be a sewing class every Tuesday evening from 6:30 to 8 for ten weeks in the "Y" Activities Room.

On Wednesday evenings there will be a baby sitting class for girls in grade 7 and 8. Mrs. Robert Marcus, a registered nurse, will conduct this five-week course, which will include lectures by a doctor, a policeman and other resource people.

To register for either program, call the "Y" at 781-5600.

SELF DEFENSE

Classes in Self Defense will be starting in October for men and women sixteen and over. The class will be held on Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30 at the West Springfield YMCA.

Robert Reilly, who holds a second degree black belt in Judo will be the instructor.

There are still openings in this class. Persons interested should call the West Side Y as soon as possible to register. Call 781-5600, ext. 252.

A substitute primary teacher was having trouble getting across to a pupil.

"L-E-G-S," the sub explained. "What does that spell, Gladys?"

"I dunno," came the bright retort.

"Well, what is it that a cow has four of, and I only have two?"

So Gladys told her.

High School Selects Junior Color Guard

Each year at the beginning of the school year girls from the Junior Class are invited to try out for the Band Color Guard. Last year the juniors were uniformed and outfitted with new orange and brown flags and joined the senior Color Guard in all of the bands appearances. The juniors and seniors together make one of the most outstanding high school color guards in the East and make an important contribution to the formation work done by the band in both parade work and football game half-time shows.

Nearly 50 girls took part in the recent try-outs which were

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UNICO Annual Dinner Dance Set for Oct. 24

Agawam Chapter UNICO will hold their 9th annual Dinner Dance at the Shaker Farms Country Club, Westfield, Mass., Saturday, Oct. 24. The cocktail hour will start at 6:30 p.m. and will consist of the following Italian meatballs, miniature chicken drum sticks, miniature franks and other foods. Also, a dry buffet at the same table with cheese, dip and crackers.

Chairman Chef Nicora and Honorary Chairman, President Paul D'Amato, announced that the dinner menu will be as follows: seafood cocktail, relish trays on each table, baked potato, vegetables, hot rolls, roast beef, ziti served family style, salad, coffee, tea or milk. Creme de menthe parfait will be served for dessert.

The following committees for this affair are: tickets and program, Nick Chechile and Joe Masucci; publicity, John Beltrandi, dinner arrangements,

Frank Chriscola, reservations, Joe Ferrari.

In addition to the above, a special treat of coffee and Danish pastry will be served at 11:30 p.m.

'Y' Junior High Dance Fri., Oct. 16

Mario Sakellis, executive director at the local "Y" announces that a dance for Junior High boys and girls will be held Friday evening, the 16th, from 7:30 to 10:30 at Robinson Park School, Begley St.

"The Incredibly High" a band from East Longmeadow will perform along with records. This band has played several times at the Agawam Teen Center this past summer.

School clothes should be worn. There will be an admission charge at the door.

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